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LIFE AND PROPERTY LOST.

TERRIFIC EXPLOSION OF A GASOMETER AT MONTREAL.

Four Men Were Fatally and Many Others Badly Hurt—A Defective Building of the Montreal Gas-Works—An Estimated Loss to Property of Over $500,000.

[SPECIAL TO THE PRESS NEWS ASSOCIATION.]

MONTREAL, May 26.—The new gasometer of the Montreal Gas Works exploded this morning, fatally injuring four men. Many others were badly hurt.

Later estimates of the loss by this morning's explosion place it at half a million dollars.

The explosion was caused by leakage from the gasometer, which was ignited by a workman lighting his pipe. The report was terrific, and spread consternation through the neighboring streets.

The names of the killed are:

JOHN ANGEL.
JOSEPH ANGEL.
SAMUEL MCAFFEE.
SAMUEL BUE.

Four other workmen were very painfully but not fatally wounded.

All the east end of the city will be in darkness to-night.

YOU CAN TELL THEM BY THIS LIST.

The Official Order of March for the Police Parade on Thursday.

The police had their final drill this morning to prepare for the public parade of Monday, and, despite the drizzling rain, went through the full manual of arms as taught by Capt. Allaire, the drillmaster. The full official order of parade, together with the company commanders, was obtained this morning by an EVENING WORLD reporter in advance, and it is here presented for the first time.

The mounted men will lead the way and clear the streets. Then the Superintendent will appear, with his mounted staff, at the head of the line, preceded by Cappa's full Seventh Regiment Band. Next will come the five battalions of ten companies deep, as follows:

Battalion No. 1.—Inspector Thomas Byrnes as Colonel. The company commanders will be: Capts. Brogan, Slevin and McLaughlin, Sergt. Douglass, Capt. John McCullagh, Sergt. Robb, Capt. Carpenter, Sergt. Kelliher, Sergt. Fredenberg and Capt. Cassidy. The adjutant will be Sergt. Creeden.

Battalion No. 2.—Inspector Henry V. Steers, Colonel. Company Commanders: Capt. McDonnell, Sergt. Harlay, Capt. J. H. McCullagh, Sergt. McAvoy, Capt. Clinchy, Sergt. Mangin, Capt. Webb, Sergt. Schnittberger, Capt. Meaklim, and Capt. Killilea.

Battalion No. 3.—Inspector Alexander S. Williams, Colonel. Company Commanders: Capts. Murphy, Schultz and Reilly, Sergt. Young, Capt. Eakins, Sergt. Walsing, Capt. Grant, Sergts. Kais and Marat, and Capt. Siebert. Adjutant Sergt. Philip W. Grimth.

Battalion No. 4.—Inspector Peter Conlin, Colonel; Company Commanders, Capts. Yule, O'Connor and Westervelt, Sergt. Cross, Capt. Cortright, Sergt. Schultz, Capt. Brooks, Sergt. Cortlett, Sergt. Wheelan and Capt. Hooker; Adjutant, Sergt. T. R. Gross.

Battalion No. 5.—Capt. Copeland, Colonel. Company Commanders—Capts. Garland, Gastlin, Bergbold, Stephenson, Sanders, Warts and Ryan, Sergt. Hamilton, Capts. Smith and Gunner.

The line of march will be from the Battery along Broadway to Union square, up Fourth avenue, to Twenty-sixth street, to Madison avenue, to Forty-sixth street, to Fifth avenue, to Madison Square, where the review will take place, followed by dismissal. A luncheon will be provided at the Hoffman House by the Commissioners.

IS JAY GOULD ILL?

So Rumored on the Street, but His Two Sons Deny It.

Soon after the opening of the Stock Exchange this morning stories began to circulate about the health of Jay Gould.

It has been known that he had experienced another outbreak from his old enemy, neuralgia, but it was not thought that he was in any danger.

His absence from the street has probably led to many exaggerated if not groundless rumors.

This morning it was rumored that Mr. Gould was worse, and immediately a sharp drive was made against his stocks.

Missouri Pacific broke from 76¾ to 75 and Western Union from 76¾ to 75. Everything else went off in sympathy from ½ to 2 points and some excitement prevailed.

George and Ed Gould deny that their father is seriously ill, and say that he is detained at home by a temporary rheumatic trouble.

Inquiry at Mr. Gould's house, at Fifth avenue and Forty-seventh street, this afternoon elicited the fact that the financier had taken his breakfast this morning with his usual relish and had left home about 10 o'clock. Last night he had his hair cut at the Windsor Hotel.

Scalded to Death by Boiling Water.

[SPECIAL TO THE WORLD.]

NORWALK, CONN., May 26.—The five-year-old Willie McKiernan, who was scalded by boiling water upset from a tub, died this morning.

Funeral of Dr. John R. Conway.

The funeral services over the remains of the late Dr. John R. Conway took place this morning at St. Francis Xavier's Church. The Rev. Father Fonderstatt celebrated a solemn requiem mass.

"AH ME!" sighed Potts, "I'm tired of living, The world is hollow, ambition's vain."
"Come now!" said his chum, "I know the symptoms;
It's all your liver—that's very plain.
"You need not suffer, for help is easy;
PIERCE'S PELLETS go right to the place.
"A friend to the billious, I well might call them—
There's nothing better; they'll suit your case."
Potts ceased his sighing and bought the "Pellets."
No more he mournsth his hapless lot!
His face is cheerful, his heart is lightsome,
His melancholy sighs forgot!"

PEAK PLEADED GUILTY OF MURDER.

Judge Garrison Told the Jury to Return a Verdict in the Second Degree.

[SPECIAL TO THE WORLD.]

MOUNT HOLLY, N. J., May 26.—A genuine sensation was created in court here this morning when Barclay Peak pleaded guilty of the murder of Katie Anderson, his cousin.

What was more remarkable was Judge Garrison's instructions to the jury. He charged them to bring in a verdict of murder in the second degree and the Court would assume the responsibility.

The jury brought in a verdict of murder in the second degree. Peak will be sentenced probably next week to imprisonment for life.

This is Peak's second trial, the former trial resulting in a verdict of "murder in the first degree." On February 23 the Supreme Court of New Jersey granted Peak a new trial.

The Court held that the manner of drawing the jury was wrong. It was alleged that the Sheriff did not draw the panel from the box, but that he selected the forty-eight men with the assistance of the Prosecutor of the Pleas. The latter denied the charge, but as the Court overruled the exception taken the charge remained on the record.

The Chief-Justice said that the proceeding must be considered as it appears on the record. It was an illegal proceeding. Chief-Justice Beasley dwelt upon the admissibility of the dying declaration of the girl. The dying declaration of Katie Anderson, he thought, possessed no evidential force. He thought she had no complete conviction that her death was at hand.

A strange feature of the case, the Chief Justice said, was the absence of a homicidal motive. When Barclay Peak heard that the girl was found murdered by the roadside he hastened to her chamber. If he had shot her he had every reason to believe that she would then and there charge him with the act.

But he showed no fear that she would accuse or denounce him. In the presence of relatives she told Peak that the person who shot her was "a dirty, nasty rascal." To her father, who questioned her about the shooting, she said "it was too bad, but she could not help it."

The Chief Justice referred to the fact that Peak embraced and kissed the girl, and that he begged her to tell him who shot her, and that she never then intimated that he was the guilty one.

The Chief Justice thought that all the evidence harmonized with a theory of his own, that the killing was accidental. He believed that Peak attempted to commit an assault on the girl, and that she drew the pistol to defend her honor and in the scuffle she was shot.

Her reticence and her failure to accuse Peak, his conduct, and every other feature surrounding the case harmonized with this theory.

BROOKLYN NEWS.

A Midnight Search in Evergreen Cemetery for a Suicide.

Mrs. Mary Meisner, of 818 East Seventieth street, rushed into the Station-House in East New York shortly after midnight this morning and excitedly asked Sergt. Reimels if he had seen her husband. She exhibited a postal card which she received from her husband yesterday afternoon, and by which he announced that he intended killing himself on their child's grave in Evergreen Cemetery.

Sergt. Reimels sent a roundsman and two patrolmen to the cemetery with Mrs. Meisner, and by the aid of lanterns they made a thorough search for Meisner. They found nothing.

Mrs. Meisner says that her husband, who is a shipping clerk, has been ill for some time.

KILLED IN A DISPUTE OVER CARDS.

An Italian Murdered and the Police Looking for His Slayer.

Guizo Corso and Garma Maio were playing cards early this morning at 27 Prince street and had a dispute.

Maio knocked Corso down and jumped on his stomach. After doing this for a while he ran out into the street and escaped. Alfazia Pasquali called in Dr. Maguire, of 120 Gold street, but Corso died at 9 o'clock this morning.

The Second Precinct police are trying to find Maio. Pasquali is detained as a witness.

A Set-To Between Women.

After disposing of plenty of South Brooklyn beer last night Mrs. Mary Needham and Mrs. Margaret Hendrix, of 61 Amity street, rolled up their sleeves and had a fight with their fists. When the police arrived Mrs. Hendrix was suffering from a black eye, a fractured nose and a swollen face. Mrs. Needham was nursing two blackened eyes and a slight cut on the forehead.

Thrown in Front of a Horse-Car.

John McNulty, James Finnegan and Peter McKeon were driving an express wagon along Court street yesterday when a bolt dropped out and the wagon overturned. McNulty fell in front of a Court street car and was run over. His right arm was mangled, his jaw fractured, and he received internal injuries.

A Burglar in the Ice-Box.

A policeman at the corner of Atlantic avenue and Nevins street last night found the door of George Jarvis's fish store open and discovered a burglar in the ice-box. The burglar said he was Thomas Howard, of the Phœnix House, New York. He was held to-day on a charge of burglary.

Brooklyn Brevities.

Patrick Morgan, of 66 Manhattan avenue, while at work on a new building in McDonough street this morning, fell from a ladder and broke his shoulder.

James Farrell, twelve years old, of Buffalo avenue and the Boulevard, and an unknown boy stole a pocketbook from Mrs. J. W. Hudson in Fulton street last night. Farrell was arrested.

JERSEY CITY NEWS.

Rumored Attempt to Reconsider the Indictment of the "Big Four."

The talk of Jersey City this morning centres about a rumor to the effect that Commissioner Benjamin Van Keuren, one of the three Republican members of the present Board of Works, is about to hand in his resignation to Mayor Cleveland. This would end the deadlock which has so materially injured the city ever since the election early in April, when the Board was politically tied.

Mayor Cleveland has heard of Mr. Van Keuren's resignation only as a matter of rumor.

Another rumor current this morning is to the effect that the Grand Jury will reconsider its indictment of the "Big Four" before a presentment is made on Thursday. The lieutenants of the indicted bosses have never been busier than to-day, and nothing will be left undone to overturn the work of Dr. Gordon, the foreman of the Grand Jury.

Jersey City Jottings.

The Board of Finance and the Citizens' Committee held another two-hour conference over the Sinking Fund last evening. What was done was not divulged.

Chauncey O'Dell, a flagman on the Erie, was found lying on the west-bound track of the road, near the Tyler Park station, late last night, with his head and legs crushed. It is believed that he jumped from a moving train.

FLYNN SUES IVINS.

He Now Appears as Citizen, Taxpayer and Reformer.

A Demand that Ivins Deposit His Fees and Emoluments.

Flynn Claims that All the City Chamberlain Can Have Is His $25,000 Yearly Salary—An Effort to Strike Ivins Where He Is Most Tender—About $24,000 Said to Be at Stake—A Subpœna Server on the Lookout for Ivins.

The war between Maurice B. Flynn and City Chamberlain William M. Ivins broke out afresh to-day, and this time Maurice B. Flynn is the plaintiff and William M. Ivins the defendant.

Flynn is, in the vernacular of the boys, "going red hot for Ivins," and will attempt to hit our City Chamberlain where he is said to be tender—in the pockets. In other words, Maurice B. Flynn has begun a civil suit against Wm. M. Ivins as City Chamberlain, to compel him to place into the municipal treasury the fees and emoluments of the office which he has received.

Mr. Flynn appears in the suit as a taxpayer and as a citizen who thinks the public treasury is entitled to moneys "collected and kept" by City Chamberlain William M. Ivins.

This afternoon subpœna servers were on the hunt for Mr. Ivins, but up to 1 o'clock the financial adjunct of the Comptroller's office had escaped their clutches.

An EVENING WORLD reporter got on the scent of the subpœna servers, and while following them met Mr. Flynn. He was looking as handsome, bright and chipper as ever, but was not inclined to impart any information.

"Did you hear that I had begun suit against Mr. Ivins?" he asked. "Well, perhaps you had better see Mr. Ivins. Perhaps I will see you later."

The reporter afterwards found out that Mr. Flynn had really begun a suit against City Chamberlain Ivins, and the legal friends of Mr. Flynn say that there is no doubt that Ivins will be compelled to return at least $24,000 into the municipal treasury.

It is said that such well-informed municipal lawyers as John H. Strahan, Thomas Allison and Col. Ingersoll have given it as their opinion that Mr. Ivins has no right to the fees or emoluments of his office.

Section 165 of the Consolidation act of 1882 says that the "Chamberlain shall receive the sum of $25,000, and no more, for all services as Chamberlain of said city, and as County Treasurer of the county of New York, in lieu of salary and of all interest, fees, commissions and emoluments, and all such interest, fees, commissions and emoluments shall be accounted for and paid over by him to the City Treasurer."

Mr. Ivins claims that section 168 of the same act allows him to pocket certain fees and emoluments. He admitted in his testimony before the Commissioners of Accounts that he had been financially benefited by certain fees and emoluments, and that his brother had acted as counsel for parties interested in trust funds deposited with the Chamberlain by the courts.

The tables are now turned. It is not Ivins against Flynn, but Flynn against Ivins and Flynn appears as a citizen, a taxpayer and a reformer.

MRS. CLEVELAND AT PRINCETON.

A Fine Rain by No Means Prevents Her Having a Fine Time.

[SPECIAL TO THE WORLD.]

PRINCETON, N. J., May 26.—So completely had the preparations been made for Mrs. Cleveland's reception and entertainment here to-day, that, lower as it might, no weather could mar the occasion beyond relief.

At 11 o'clock, on her arrival by special train from Germantown, the President's fair lady was driven to the home of Dr. McCosh, where arrangements had been made for her to meet the numerous faculties and students of this old town of colleges and seminaries.

After seeing the teachers and the taught, Mrs. Cleveland had to see the college buildings and grounds, which are attractive even under clouds, and which excited the intense admiration of the fair visitor, whose own mind carries such pleasant girl memories of life with a beautiful Alma Mater.

A luncheon party at Prof. Marquand's residence, ten minutes' ride from the college, followed the visit to the grounds.

For this afternoon double plans had been laid. In case of rain, indoor entertainment at Prof. Marquand's; otherwise, Mrs. Cleveland would see the science of baseball demonstrated by the Yale and Princeton teams at the University Athletic Grounds.

As a fine drizzling rain has prevailed during the day and gives no promise of ceasing, it is not probable that the distinguished guest will visit the ball grounds, even if the students find it possible to play.

The Electric Wire Investigation.

Coroner Levy, having to attend the funeral of a member of Steinwear Post, G. A. R., on Monday, the inquest as to the death of Lineman Murray is postponed till Tuesday at 2 P. M.

It will be held at Room 19 of the City Court. Mayor Hewitt, Gen. Newton and Subway Commissioner Gibbens will testify.

The Closing Quotations.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Canada Southern	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Central Pacific	30¼	30¼	30¼	30¼
Chicago, Burl. & Quincy	113¾	113¾	113	113
Chicago & Northwest	108¼	108¼	108	108¼
Chic., Mil. & St. Paul	67¾	67¾	65¾	66¼
Chic., Mil. & St. Paul, pfd	109¾	109¾	109¾	109¾
Chic., Rock Island & Pacific	108	108¼	108	108¼
Consolidated Gas	74	74	74	74
Del., Lack. & Western	139	139	138¼	138¼
Delaware & Hudson	109¼	109¼	109¼	109¼
E. Tenn., Va. & Ga. 2d pfd	22½	22½	22½	22½
Fort Worth & Denver City	30½	31	30	30
Louisville & Nashville	64¼	64¼	64	64¼
Lake Shore	91¾	91¾	90¾	90¾
Lake Erie & Western	21¼	21¼	21¼	21¼
Lake Erie & Western pfd	81¼	81¼	81¼	81¼
Michigan Central	84	84	83¾	83¾
Minneapolis & St. Louis	11¾	11¾	11¾	11¾
Missouri Pacific	76¾	77	75	75¼
Nashville, Chatta. & St. Louis	75	75	75	75
New Jersey Central	21¾	21¾	21¾	21¾
New York Central	105¾	105¾	105¼	105¼
N. Y. & New England	30½	30	29½	29½
N. Y., Lake Erie & West	24¾	24¾	24¾	24¾
N. Y., Lake Erie & West pfd	85¼	85¼	85¼	85¼
Norfolk & Western pfd	47	47	46½	46½
Northern Pacific	23	23	22½	22½
Northern Pacific pfd	50¼	50¼	49¾	49¾
Oregon Transcontinental	29	29	28½	28½
Oregon Short Line	22	22	22	22
Pacific Mail	33¼	33¼	33	33
Philadelphia & Reading	25¼	25¼	25	25
Pullman Palace Car Co.	147¾	147¾	147¾	147¾
Rich. & West Point Ter.	22¾	22¾	22¾	22¾
Rich. & W. P. Ter. pfd	64	64	64	64
St. Paul & Omaha	47	47	46¾	46¾
St. Paul & Omaha, pfd	135¼	135¼	135¼	135¼
Texas Pacific	20¾	20¾	19¾	19¾
Tenn. Coal & Iron	38	38	38	38
Union Pacific	52	52	51¾	51¾
Wabash, St. L. & Pacific	17¾	17¾	17¾	17¾
Western Union Telegraph	76	76	75	75

A POLICEMAN SEEMS DESIROUS OF HIMSELF IS SUPPOSED TO SUFFERING WITH CHRONIC OFFICE-ITCH. [illegible]

FLOWERS BROUGHT IN ALREADY.

The First Instalment of Memorial Tributes Received at the "Cottage."

Very little was done yesterday by the Memorial Day Floral Committee, except to open its headquarters at the "Cottage" in Union Square and get things in readiness for the reception of the flowers which will come piling in on trucks and vans and express wagons early next week.

Notifications have already been received from many of the schools, and to-day a large quantity of flowers will probably be collected; but the great mass of them will not be received until Monday and Tuesday.

The indications are that the contributions will be largely in excess of those of last year. This is fortunate for the sick at the hospitals, who will be the gainers, thanks to the courtesy of the Memorial Day Committee and the efforts of THE EVENING WORLD.

The first contribution of flowers was received by the committee yesterday afternoon from a lady, who brought a dozen pots of geraniums to the "Cottage" in her carriage. The plants were in bloom, and the rich display upon the veranda fronting the plaza attracted the attention of passers-by last evening.

GEN. SHERIDAN RESTS WELL.

No Material Change in His Condition Since Last Night.

[SPECIAL TO THE WORLD.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 26.—Gen. Sheridan passed a comparatively comfortable night. He spent the early hours reclining in a large invalid chair in a position which he has found gives him the greatest ease and comfort.

He rested easily on his bed for a few hours, and was again assisted to his chair, where he is now lying.

At 9 o'clock Surgeons O'Reilly, Matthews and Yarrow called and held a consultation, after which the following bulletin was issued:

"Patient expresses himself as having passed a restful night. He says he has no pain whatever and feels first rate. No material change in symptoms has occurred since the report of last night."

RAIN AND GIRLS, BUT NO GAMES.

The Intercollegiate Athletic Meeting Did Not Take Place To-day.

[SPECIAL TO THE WORLD.]

MANHATTAN GROUNDS, May 26.—There was a great deal at the Manhattan Athletic grounds this afternoon besides water, but the latter was predominant. In fact everything was wet, very wet.

That there were hundreds of pretty girls there made no difference. Not satisfied with flooding the grounds, Pluvius came down on the grand stand and did not stop there, either, for he soaked right through the roof and made little reservoirs on the spring bonnets, which, in spite of the heavy clouds and mist of the morning, the college sweethearts insisted upon wearing.

The occasion of the gathering was the annual meeting of the Intercollegiate Association of Amateur Athletes of America, and another flood would have kept any of these enthusiasts at home. The contests decided what college is to have the guardianship of the Mott Haven Cup for the ensuing year. Yale last year won the trophy, but Harvard, by her long chain of victories in former years, holds a mortgage for the final ownership of the cup.

But the people were not to see that for which they had braved the weather. After looking over the dismal ground and sky, and after a few moments of regretful parley, the managers determined to declare the games off for the day.

Rain and Postponed Ball Games.

The game of baseball between Harvard and Columbia at the Polo Grounds this morning was postponed on account of the rain. Columbia pays Harvard $100 for their presence in the city, which puts the baseball association of the former college about $600 behind for the season.

At Washington Park the Brooklyn-Louisville game was postponed. These nines will play at Ridgewood Park to-morrow, and the postponed game will be contested at Washington Park on Monday.

Rain also prevented the New York-Washington game at the Polo Grounds.

The Jersey City and Elmira game is postponed on account of the rain.

The Newsboys' Brooklyn Game.

Weather and other affairs have conspired against THE WORLD'S newsboys' baseball game in Brooklyn, and the event, instead of occurring Monday, will come off next Thursday afternoon.

Standing of the Clubs Yesterday.

LEAGUE.	Won.	Lost.	Per cent.	ASSOCIATION.	Won.	Lost.	Per cent.
Chicago	21	6	.718	Cincinnati	23	5	.815
Boston	18	10	.643	St. Louis	18	6	.750
Detroit	15	7	.556	Brooklyn	20	9	.690
New York	13	11	.542	Athletic	13	13	.500
Philadelphia	10	13	.435	Baltimore	10	14	.417
Pittsburg	10	14	.417	Louisville	9	13	.321
Indianapolis	6	15	.286	Cleveland	9	12	.310
Washington	6	19	.240	Kansas City	6	19	.240

Racing at St. Louis.

First Race.—Purse $600, $100 to second and $50 to third, for three-year-olds and upward; one and one-sixteenth miles. Orderly (106), first; Prather (87), second; Irish Pat (112), third. Time—1.53.

Second Race.—Purse $600, $100 to second and $50 to third; selling allowances; one mile. Moonlight (103), 1st; Del Norte (96), 2d; Fraud (105), 3d. Time—1.47¼.

Third Race.—St. Louis Derby for three-year-olds, $50 each, half forfeit; $10 if declared, $2,500 added, $500 to second and $300 to third; one mile and a half. Falcon, 118, first; J. R. Clay second, Alexandria third. Time—2.43.

Racing in England.

[SPECIAL CABLE TO THE PRESS NEWS ASSOCIATION.]

LONDON, May 26.—The Whitsuntide Plate was the principal event to-day at the Manchester meeting and resulted as follows:

Chitabob 1
Donovan 2
Bryony 3

The betting at the start was 5 to 1 against Chitabob, 7 to 2 against Donovan and 20 to 1 against Bryony. Eleven horses started and Chitabob won by four lengths.

Local News Condensed.

John Foley, the gold pen man, denies that the tramp who was arrested on Staten Island and who said he was Mr. Foley's son is related to him.

A special meeting of the Ohio Society will be held at 220 Fifth avenue this evening to take action regarding the death of Col. Charles S. Wing, a member of the association.

Local Rains and Easterly Winds.

WASHINGTON, May 26.

—Weather indications:

For Connecticut and Eastern New York—Slight changes in temperature; local rains; light to fresh easterly winds.

The Weather To-Day.

Indicated by Blakely's tele-thermometer:

1888.	1887.		1888.	1887.
6 A. M. 58	71	9 A. M. 60	72
6 A. M. 59	69	12 M. 64	73

Average temperature to-day, 61 2-3 degrees.
Average for corresponding time last year, 78 1-3 degrees.

"FIT for a gentleman's table!" "A. GOHILLOT brand OLIVE OIL."

RECEIVERS SECURED, Long Island City, to-morrow. SENATOR ON DUNNEMORE, of Bennett, New Jersey. [illegible]

THE BARD

The Brooklyn Cup Added to His Victories.

Hanover Gets the Third Place in the Great Contest.

Golden Reel, Dry Monopole, Winona, Seymour and Portland Win.

[SPECIAL TO THE WORLD.]

GRAVESEND RACE TRACK, May 26.—The magnetism of Hanover and The Bard drew a crowd to the Brooklyn Jockey Club ground at the resumption of their meeting to-day. The cracks were announced to run in the fourth race, the Brooklyn Cup, for three-year-olds and upward. Mist and rain was the order on the journey to the track, which was found in a terrible state. The dreariest of spectacles, a race track in the rain, bored the early arrivals till the scene was transformed by the crowds hurrying from late trains and boats, and bookmakers and pool-sellers began business. A half dozen names of scratched horses were early posted up on the blackboard under the judges' stand. The crowd hurried down, at least such of them as didn't have field or opera glasses, heedless of the chilling rain, to see if the name of Hanover or The Bard was there. Neither horse was marked up, and Mr. Michael Dwyer told THE EVENING WORLD man that Hanover would certainly run.

As announced in the sporting column of THE EVENING WORLD, the Brooklyn Jockey Club will give an extra day's racing next Monday. The programme has just been given out. There will be six races.

The first is a sweepstakes of $25, for all ages, with $750 added; six furlongs.

The second will be a handicap sweepstakes of $50 each, with $1,500 added; one mile and a sixteenth.

The third a sweepstakes of $50 each, half forfeit, for two-year-olds, with $2,000 added; five furlongs.

The fourth is a $1,000 cash sweepstakes, $250 forfeit, for three-year-olds and upward, with $3,500 added; one mile and three-quarters.

The fifth race is a sweepstakes of $50 each, with $1,000 added; one mile.

The sport of the day will conclude with a welter handicap sweepstakes of $25 each; six furlongs.

Jack Dempsey, the champion pugilist, was one of the early visitors.

FIRST RACE.

Purse $600, for three-year-olds and upward that have run and not won at this meeting; entrance, $20 each, to the second; horses that have not run second allowed 5 lb.; one mile.

Golden Reel, 92 ..... (Doane) 1
Lady Primrose, 113 ..... (Godfrey) 2
Mollie McCarthy's last, 112 ..... (J. Littlefield) 3
Fenelon, 118 ..... (Martin) 0
Sam Harper, jr., 117 ..... (J. McLaughlin) 0
Tenafly, 115 ..... (G. Taylor) 0
Lackawanna, 113 ..... (Ossler) 0
Theodosius, 110 ..... (W. Donohue) 0
Ella Smith colt, 97 ..... (Hayward) 0
Regulus, 97 ..... (Church) 0

Time—1.46. Betting—Lady Primrose, 8 to 5; Sam Harper, jr., 4 to 1; Ella Smith colt and Fenelon, 6 to 1; Golden Reel, Regulus and Mollie McCarthy's Last, 8 to 1; Theodosius, 12 to 1; Lackawanna, 15 to 1; Tenafly, 20 to 1. For a Place—Lady Primrose, 8 to 5, Sam Harper, jr., 6 to 5; Ella Smith colt and Fenelon, 2 to 1; Golden Reel, Regulus and Mollie McCarthy's last, 3 to 1; Theodosius, 5 to 1; Lackawanna, 6 to 1; Tenafly, 10 to 1. Pools—Lady Primrose, $25; Fenelon, $11; Mollie McCarthy's Last, $10; Ella Smith colt, $7; Golden Reel, 5; field, $25.

The Race.—Talk about a morass, the track in front of the grand stand was simply horrible, mud flew in every direction and the sound of the horses' hoofs in the mire was like the notes of a thousand umbrellas suddenly opened and shut. The umbrella-shielded crowd packed the lawn, kept respectful of the flying mud and away from the fence which they usually lean against. The horses tried for the start. Golden Reel had a little the best of the go-away but Lady Primrose got to the front as the first turn and held it to the turn into the finish. Regulus, Lady Primrose and Golden Reel with Mollie McCarthy's last did the forcing down the straight. Golden Reel was first. Mutuels paid $76.75.

SECOND RACE.

Handicap sweepstakes for all ages, at $25 each, $10 if declared, with $750 added, of which $150 to the second; mile and a furlong.

Dry Monopole, 115 ..... (Martin) 1
Favor, 120 ..... (J. McLaughlin) 2
Brookfull, 95 ..... (Hayward) 3
Ordway, 105 ..... (Church) 0
Long Knight, 108, car. 104 ..... (F. Littlefield) 0
Lottery, 96 ..... (Ossler) 0
Queen of Elizabeth, 96 ..... (Doane) 0

Time—2.00. Betting—Favor, 7 to 5; Queen of Elizabeth, 4 to 1; Dry Monopole and Long Knight, 5 to 1; Ordway, 8 to 1; Lottery, 10 to 1; Brookfull, 20 to 1. For a Place—Favor, 1 to 2; Queen of Elizabeth, 7 to 5; Dry Monopole and Long Knight, 2 to 1; Ordway, 3 to 1; Lottery, 4 to 1; Brookfull, 5 to 1. Pools—Favor, $20; field, $25.

The Race.—Favor, Ordway and Long Knight were first to show on a quickly made start, Ordway running into the lead past the judges' stand and holding it to the three-furlong post, where Dry Monopole came past Favor and Long Knight also out ahead of the pace-maker of the first half. Dry Monopole beat Favor out in the straight and won by a length. Favor was ten lengths in front of Brookfull, the third at finish. Mutuels paid $33.45.

THIRD RACE.

Gazelle Stakes, for three-year-old fillies, at $50 each, half forfeit, $10 if declared by April 1, with $1,250 added, of which $250 to the second, the third to save his stake; winners of a single stake at the spring meeting to carry 5 lb.; of two or more, 7 lb. extra; non-winners of a two-year-old stake of the value of $1,000 allowed 5 lb.; mile and a furlong.

Winona, 108 ..... (Martin) 1
Biltheosome, 113 ..... (Garrison) 2
Bella B., 108 ..... (Williams) 3
Ocean, 112 ..... (J. McLaughlin) 0
Peg Woffington, 108 ..... (G. Taylor) 0
Speedwell, 108 ..... (Church) 0
Theora, 108 ..... (F. Littlefield) 0

Time—2.03. Betting—Peg Woffington, 6 to 5; Biltheosome, 8 to 1; Bella B., 6 to 1; Winona, 7 to 1; postponed till Tuesday at 2 P. M.

It will be held at Room 19 of the City Court. Mayor Hewitt, Gen. Newton and Subway Commissioner Gibbens will testify.

The Closing Quotations.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Canada Southern	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Central Pacific	30¼	30¼	30¼	30¼
Chicago, Burl. & Quincy	113¾	113¾	113	113
Chicago & Northwest	108¼	108¼	108	108¼
Chic., Mil. & St. Paul	67¾	67¾	65¾	66¼
Chic., Mil. & St. Paul, pfd	109¾	109¾	109¾	109¾
Chic., Rock Island & Pacific	108	108¼	108	108¼
Consolidated Gas	74	74	74	74
Del., Lack. & Western	139	139	138¼	138¼
Delaware & Hudson	109¼	109¼	109¼	109¼
E. Tenn., Va. & Ga. 2d pfd	22½	22½	22½	22½
Fort Worth & Denver City	30½	31	30	30
Louisville & Nashville	64¼	64¼	64	64¼
Lake Shore	91¾	91¾	90¾	90¾
Lake Erie & Western	21¼	21¼	21¼	21¼
Lake Erie & Western pfd	81¼	81¼	81¼	81¼
Michigan Central	84	84	83¾	83¾
Minneapolis & St. Louis	11¾	11¾	11¾	11¾
Missouri Pacific	76¾	77	75	75¼
Nashville, Chatta. & St. Louis	75	75	75	75
New Jersey Central	21¾	21¾	21¾	21¾
New York Central	105¾	105¾	105¼	105¼
N. Y. & New England	30½	30	29½	29½
N. Y., Lake Erie & West	24¾	24¾	24¾	24¾
N. Y., Lake Erie & West pfd	85¼	85¼	85¼	85¼
Norfolk & Western pfd	47	47	46½	46½
Northern Pacific	23	23	22½	22½
Northern Pacific pfd	50¼	50¼	49¾	49¾
Oregon Transcontinental	29	29	28½	28½
Oregon Short Line	22	22	22	22
Pacific Mail	33¼	33¼	33	33
Philadelphia & Reading	25¼	25¼	25	25
Pullman Palace Car Co.	147¾	147¾	147¾	147¾
Rich. & West Point Ter.	22¾	22¾	22¾	22¾
Rich. & W. P. Ter. pfd	64	64	64	64
St. Paul & Omaha	47	47	46¾	46¾
St. Paul & Omaha, pfd	135¼	135¼	135¼	135¼
Texas Pacific	20¾	20¾	19¾	19¾
Tenn. Coal & Iron	38	38	38	38
Union Pacific	52	52	51¾	51¾
Wabash, St. L. & Pacific	17¾	17¾	17¾	17¾
Western Union Telegraph	76	76	75	75

A POLICEMAN SEEMS DESIROUS OF HIMSELF IS SUPPOSED TO SUFFERING WITH CHRONIC OFFICE-ITCH. [illegible]

FLOWERS BROUGHT IN ALREADY.

The First Instalment of Memorial Tributes Received at the "Cottage."

Very little was done yesterday by the Memorial Day Floral Committee, except to open its headquarters at the "Cottage" in Union Square and get things in readiness for the reception of the flowers which will come piling in on trucks and vans and express wagons early next week.

Notifications have already been received from many of the schools, and to-day a large quantity of flowers will probably be collected; but the great mass of them will not be received until Monday and Tuesday.

The indications are that the contributions will be largely in excess of those of last year. This is fortunate for the sick at the hospitals, who will be the gainers, thanks to the courtesy of the Memorial Day Committee and the efforts of THE EVENING WORLD.

The first contribution of flowers was received by the committee yesterday afternoon from a lady, who brought a dozen pots of geraniums to the "Cottage" in her carriage. The plants were in bloom, and the rich display upon the veranda fronting the plaza attracted the attention of passers-by last evening.

GEN. SHERIDAN RESTS WELL.

No Material Change in His Condition Since Last Night.

[SPECIAL TO THE WORLD.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 26.—Gen. Sheridan passed a comparatively comfortable night. He spent the early hours reclining in a large invalid chair in a position which he has found gives him the greatest ease and comfort.

He rested easily on his bed for a few hours, and was again assisted to his chair, where he is now lying.

At 9 o'clock Surgeons O'Reilly, Matthews and Yarrow called and held a consultation, after which the following bulletin was issued:

"Patient expresses himself as having passed a restful night. He says he has no pain whatever and feels first rate. No material change in symptoms has occurred since the report of last night."

RAIN AND GIRLS, BUT NO GAMES.

The Intercollegiate Athletic Meeting Did Not Take Place To-day.

[SPECIAL TO THE WORLD.]

MANHATTAN GROUNDS, May 26.—There was a great deal at the Man